

# SAFETY MESSAGE

Your Personal Safety is our #1 priority



## The Life Hammer, Compiled by USDA-APHIS-CCEP

Sometimes safety belts jam after a collision and power locks become disabled. Life Hammer is designed to break vehicle side windows and cut through jammed safety belts allowing you to escape.

Life Hammer can be used to help yourself or rescue someone trapped when a:

- Car is on fire
- Submerged in water
- Small car wreck

Each of the USDA vehicles is equipped with a Life Hammer. In case you are trapped in a vehicle you can use the various features to escape.

- Razor sharp blade to cut through seat belts
- Two steel points to break glass
- Fluorescent pin for easy location.

### How to Use:

1. Remove Life Hammer from the Mounting by pulling hammer end labeled "pull".
2. Cut unreleased seat belts with the razor-sharp blade on this emergency escape hammer.
3. Smash a side window with the quality double-tipped safety auto escape hammer. Swing this travel safety device like a hammer.
4. *Escape!*

**WARNING:** this tool will not break windshields or laminated glass, and some vehicle side windows are laminated. Life Hammer is a rescue tool. It is only for use in vehicular emergencies. It must not be used for any other purpose except for rescue.

